K-State First

Residential CAT Communities

A great college experience starts with a great first year.

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Residential CAT Communities are a place for first-year students to connect their classroom learning with a dynamic residence life experience. Students take a group of courses designed around their academic interests, while living with peers who can share academic and social experiences.

**The American Story**

Through texts, slides, music, literature, original documents and the words of the participants themselves, The American Story offers you the opportunity not only to learn the “facts” of history, but to experience the “feel” of our past from the colonial period through the end of the 19th century.

- **Who it’s for:** All first-year students interested in how history feels
- **Where you’ll live:** Moore Hall
- **Courses:**
  - ENGL 270 American Literature: MWF 9:30 a.m., Dr. Stacia Gary
  - HIST 251 History of US to 1877: TU 2:30-3:45 p.m., Dr. Charles Sanders
  - DAS 199 The American Story: U 8:30 a.m., Dr. Charles Sanders

**Psychology of Prejudice**

The Psychology of Prejudice CAT Community will examine stereotypes, prejudice and discrimination, including where bias comes from and how it may be reduced.

- **Who it’s for:** All first-year students interested in processes that perpetuate stereotypes and discrimination
- **Where you’ll live:** Goodnow Hall
- **Courses:**
  - PSYCH 110 General Psychology: TU 2:30-3:45 p.m., Dr. Donald A. Saucier
  - SOCIO 211 Introduction to Sociology: MWF 9:30-10:20 a.m., Dr. Roy Barnett
  - DAS 199 Psychology of Prejudice: U 1:30-2:20 p.m., Dr. Donald A. Saucier
Interested in joining a Residential CAT Community?

- Email kstatefirst@k-state.edu to sign up. Please include the title of the Residential CAT Community you wish to join. Space is limited to 22 students in each community.
- We will enroll you in the CAT Community and reserve your space in the corresponding residence hall. You will receive a confirmation email when your enrollment is complete.
- Prepare to move into your residence hall and start your CAT Community courses.

Note: Joining a Residential CAT Community will automatically reserve a space for you in the residence hall listed. This will replace any other residence hall requests you have made. However, your roommate preference is still valid.

To learn about other opportunities for first-year students, visit k-state.edu/first.